

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Akihiro YOSHITANI, *et al.*

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SUBMISSION UNDER RULE 114 - AMENDMENT
WITH RCE TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

In reply to the Final rejection dated 22 February 2007, applicants concurrently file a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). This application has been amended as indicated below. A two-month extension (from 22 May 2007 to 22 July 2007) is addressed in the RCE transmittal. Should this reply require any unaccounted fee, such as for any claim surcharge and any additional extension(s) of time, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees required to maintain the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-2056.